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SIX ARE CHARGED

With Responsibility for New York's Hotel Horror.

Big Earthquakes Reported in Peru—Much Damage is Wrought.

GRANT'S GRANDSON LEAVES

New York, March 4.—The total deaths in the Darlington hotel wreck is now 15. Five are still missing. Warrants have been issued for the arrest of six persons on a charge of homicide, because of the negligence resulting in the disaster.

EARTHQUAKES IN PERU.

Lima, Peru, March 4.—Earthquake shocks yesterday were the worst reported in years and did great damage. The figures on the losses are not yet obtainable.

GRANTS GRANDSON LEAVES.

Washington, D. C., March 4.—Captain Algernon Sartoris, grandson of the late President U. S. Grant, has sailed for France where he weds Miss Mary Nevillford, the famous Parisian beauty, for the love of whom he joined the Roman Catholic church.

ALL THE STOCK.

Dresden, Tenn., March 4.—The general store of Hardeman Bros., was entered by thieves one night this week and their entire stock of fine razors, pocketknives and a large amount of coffee confiscated.

DOUBLE TRACKING.

Chicago, March 4.—Surveyors are at work along the Illinois Central between Freeport and Clinton, Ill., preparing estimates for the double tracking of the route between the two points in order to accommodate the heavy traffic.

THE PIPE EATEN

Evidences of Electrolysis Discovered at Second and B'way

A Lead Pipe Had Been Eaten By Electricity Until it Sprung a Leak.

STREET MAY BE TORN UP

A constant stream of water spurting from a crevice worn through the brick street in front of Hotel Lagomarsino caused an effort to be made this morning to find the leak. When the pipe was found, it was discovered to be badly eaten by electrolysis, and it is feared that other pipes in that vicinity are similarly eaten. If they are they are likely to begin leaking at any time.

Electrolysis is feared more than anything else by men who have pipes in the ground. Electrolysis is the action of electricity on iron or other metals and nothing can withstand the ravages of the vagrant currents when they sit about under ground to destroy all with which they come in contact.

In some of the larger cities where there is a great deal more electricity from street car wires and such things, the damage is often incalculable.

Of all metals, lead is least effected by electricity, but the lead water pipe dug up today was found to be badly eaten in several places, and while it is not known how many pipes in the city have been damaged, it is feared that some of them have been, especially in that section of the city. It is said today that an effort will be made by the water and gas companies to have the street torn up near Second and Broadway and repair all the wires from which the electricity may be

5,000 MEN FOUGHT

And Conquered the Prairie Fire in Oklahoma.

Two Burned to Death and Others Fatally Injured and Much Property Destroyed.

LAWTON'S LOSS IS LIGHT

Lawton, Okla., March 4.—Two persons were burned to death and 3,000 squares miles of territory in Kiowa and Comanche counties were swept by prairie fires. Hundreds of people are homeless, and it is impossible to estimate the financial loss.

At Hobart the county seat of Kiowa county, the fire approached from the east, destroying the stables on fifteen ranches, fifteen residences, two business houses and various small buildings. Spreading to the southwest, the fire swept 75,000 acres of government military and timber reserve and Indian school reserve, destroying several Indian houses and forty head of government cattle.

Spreading westward the flames covered miles of the homestead district, destroying houses, barns and stock.

THE DEAD

Dr. Harmon, six miles from Lawton; body found.

Unknown boy; body found on prairie near Lawton; burned beyond identification.

John Hamon and a daughter of Mrs. Henderson, living near Lawton, were fatally burned.

5,000 people of the city last night battled with the approaching monster of destruction. The advance line of the fire was fully two miles in length, and coming in a semi-circular form. A thousand men turned their efforts to checking the flames in the grass borders of the reservation at the city limits. Water from every source carried in every conceivable way was distributed along this line and carried all around the advance lines of the fire, but was of little avail in blinding the continual rolling of the fire brands into the streets of the city. In more than a hundred places flames arose from dwellings, barns and outhouses, but wherever a blaze grew men were present to quench it with water. As a result of the cool judgment of the fighters, the city's loss was only \$10,000.

drawn and attracted through the ground, to destroy all with which it comes in contact on its way.

It is said to be worse at that corner than anywhere else because that is where a great deal of electricity goes through the ground towards the power house on North Second street.

ALLOWED 1,5000

THIS GIVEN TO ATTORNEY J. M. WORTEN FOR BUILDING TRUST WORK.

This morning a motion was heard in the case of R. G. Childwell, assignee of the Paducah Building and Trust Co., against C. E. Graham and others, asking for the allowance of a fee to Attorney J. M. Worten, attorney for the assignee.

There was much evidence heard as to the work, the collections, etc., and \$1,500 was allowed. \$3,000 was asked.

CAN'T COME

REV. BOURQUIN'S VISIT POSTPONED BECAUSE OF FLOODS.

Rev. William Bourquin, of Millersburg O., who was to have come to Paducah Sunday to preach in the German Evangelical church on trial, has wired that it will be impossible to get here on account of the heavy floods. Railroad traffic has been seriously effected and he will be unable to reach here before several days.

THE BIG BATTLE IS STILL EXPECTED—NO CLASH IN FAR EAST

Will Russia Destroy Port Arthur? is Being Asked.

Position Untenable—Japs to Land Soldiers Under Guns of Big Ships.

FIGHTING BETWEEN SMALL SCOUTING PARTIES

TO LAND SOLDIERS.

Chefoo, March 4.—Six Jap cruisers, escorting ten transports, have been sighted steaming in the direction of the Gulf of Lito Tung. This movement is connected with the reported intention to effect a landing north of Saddle Bay.

From Russian sources, come reports of an engagement in the vicinity of the Yalu river, between small parties of scouts, who exchanged shots and retired. Japanese forces have been approaching to within three days' march of the Russian camp, the latter retreating to await reinforcements. Owing to the heavy weather, it is difficult to proceed. A big battle is expected shortly.

STATUS OF THE WAR.

Chefoo, March 4.—The position at present is briefly as follows: Although Japan has lost some vessels she possesses complete command of the sea, and will through her sea power effectually blockade and isolate Port Arthur.

In the meantime, the Japs seem to have decided to make an advance in strength along the Pekin roadway from Seoul, her forces have already advanced from the Korean capital, and having secured the Yalu river, they will threaten Kirin, cutting the railway and menacing Vladivostok while another force deals with the Liao Tung peninsula.

WILL PORT ARTHUR BE DESTROYED?

London, March 4.—Is Port Arthur to be destroyed by the Russians after a hard fight against the Japanese which has lasted nearly a month?

This question is the paramount inquiry in all circles, and if many dispatches received from the east are to be credited, it looks as if the answer may be in the affirmative. Ever since the withdrawal of Viceroy Alexieff and staff from Port Arthur to Harbin the belief has been current that the position of Port Arthur is untenable, and that she has been preparing to get away with the best grace possible.

KOREANS FLED.

Seoul, March 4.—The Korean officials and also soldiers at Ping Yang fled terrified when a small conflict between Japanese and Russian scouts occurred on Sunday.

All of those outside the city gate are now hiding in the mountains. There is great satisfaction throughout the country at the orderly conduct of the Japanese troops, who pay good prices for labor and supplies, totally to the contrary of what the Koreans expected.

WILL CAUSE UNPLEASANTNESS

St. Petersburg, March 4.—The newspaper Sviet in discussing the sending of American consuls to Manchuria says that America's attitude in requesting Chinese exequaturs will cause an unpleasantness with Russia. It adds that sending these consuls would result in great assistance to Japan.

JAPAN LOSES HEAVILY.

St. Petersburg, March 4.—The Novoe Vremya publishes a dispatch from its Vladivostok correspondent, who says eye witnesses to the attacks on Port Arthur have arrived there and reported that up to March 1 the Japanese losses amounted to six cruisers, five torpedo boats damaged, two torpedo boats and one gun boat sunk.

HAS NO POWER

General Council Has Nothing to Do With Contracts.

The Board of Public Works Will Have Exclusive Power to Let Contracts.

AN IMPORTANT DECISION

Louisville has just decided an important question which may sooner or later become of vital interest in Paducah, where preparations are now being made, and possibly will be completed some time before fall, for the installation of a board of public works.

It had long been a question there whether or not the general council could annul contracts made by the Board of Public Works. The courts there have decided that the council can not. That the board of public works, after work has been authorized by the general council, has exclusive right to let the contract, and that the general council can not reject such contract.

The same principals of law would no doubt apply in Paducah when the board of public works gets started and takes charge of the various contracts for public work heretofore let by the council.

Yesterday's Louisville Post says of the case there:

City Attorney Henry L. Stone this morning sent to the board of public works an extremely important opinion relative to the power of the general council to disapprove contracts already granted by the board of works.

The case in point was that of the Selva Construction company which had been awarded the contract by the board of works for a number of pieces of street reconstruction work. The bid of the Selva company was \$51,500, being considered less than the other bids. The contract was formally awarded by the board of works, but the lower board of the council took advantage of a slight technicality and rejected the contract.

Basing his opinion upon various decisions of the Court of Appeals, Col. Stone holds that the General Council has no right to reject such contracts, and that after an ordinance is once passed authorizing the work, that the authority of the Council ends. Col. Stone also holds that the Board of Works has a right to correct such trivial errors as an unsatisfactory surety in the event that the successful bidder finally puts forward a satisfactory surety.

M'CREERY TALKS

JOLLIES THE DEMOCRATS A BIT AND TELLS ABOUT DEMOCRATIC SUCCESS.

Frankfort, Ky., March 4.—U. S. Senator McCreery today addressed the house. He said: "I am hopeful of Democratic success this year" and advocated the nomination of a conservative candidate. He said, however, that the man must be one who voted for the Democratic nominee at the two previous Presidential elections.

WANTS FAIRBANKS

REPORTED THAT PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT FAVORS HIM FOR VICE PRESIDENT.

Washington, D. C., March 4.—The political news is that Roosevelt has suggested Senator Fairbanks of Indiana, as a good competent man for the vice-presidential nominee on the Republican ticket.

CAPTAIN BUCKNERS' FUNERAL

The remains of the late Capt. J. M. Buckner, who died at Dallas, Texas, will arrive here tomorrow morning at 1:35 o'clock over the I. O. in charge of his son, Mr. Murrell Buckner. The funeral will take place at 10 o'clock from the First Christian church and the burial will be at Oak Grove.

WABASH IS BUSY

Railroad That Wanted to Come Here Goes to Brookport.

Has Laid Off Its Yards and Is Getting Ready to Build—Wins From I. O.

WILL HAVE NEW DEPOT, ALSO

The Wabash railroad according to citizens of Brookport, Ill., who were in the city today, is preparing to enter Brookport. It has laid off its yards there and is preparing to put up its depot.

The latest move comes as a consequence of the Wabash's victory over the Illinois Central. When it became known that the Wabash was preparing to invade that part of Illinois, the Illinois Central brought suit at Golconda, Pope county, to enjoin the road from having a right of way through a certain pass near Golconda, through which the I. C. claimed exclusive right of way. Its object, apparently, was to shut the Wabash out.

The Wabash after a hard fight has won leaving it free to enter that territory.

As a result it is preparing to build its line. The plat of its new yards has been filed at Metropolis, and everything, according to reports, is in readiness for active work.

This is the road that wanted to enter Paducah several months ago and asked for \$100,000 bonds to come here. A meeting was held at which a committee from the Commercial Club was selected to try and raise the money by subscription, but the money could not be raised, and the project was abandoned.

The company then decided to go to Brookport, Ill., instead. Its intention was to build direct from Effingham, Ill., to Paducah, the latter being as directly south from Effingham as it possibly could be. The citizens of Brookport raised enough money to get the road, and it is supposed that it will connect there with the N. O. & St. L. and the Illinois Central. The Wabash belongs to the Gould lines, and is one of the largest in the country. It will be a great thing for Brookport and that section of the country, and it is not by any means impossible that it will yet build into Paducah. In fact it could at any time by straightening out its line build to the opposite side of the river and cross to Paducah. This would give Paducah another road to Chicago and St. Louis.

BILL AMENDED

ONE OF SENATOR CAMPBELL'S MEASURES CHANGED.

Frankfort, Ky., March 4.—The bill to amend charters of second class cities so that the city may elect the depository for public moneys, was passed after being amended so it will apply to those depositories now holding funds by designation of the city treasurer during his term unless by the consent of the council.

Another second class city bill is one providing that when a city falls in any year to fix the tax rate, the rate of the year before shall stand. It was passed today.

LEADING MAN

MAJOR MATT M'KINNEY DIES AT OADIZ.

Oadiz, Ky., March 4.—Major Matt McKinney died here last night of pneumonia, aged 81. He was formerly a leading journalist, connected with papers in Frankfort, Louisville, Hopkinsville and Cadiz. He served two terms as representative and two as county superintendent of public instruction, and one as county clerk. He leaves a widow and three children.

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OVER THE STATE

Incriminating Evidence Found Against a Counterfeiter.

Hopkinsville Man Fined \$100 for Involuntary Manslaughter.

TRIES TO STRANGLE CHILDREN

Owensboro, Ky., March 4—A special from Fordville says the proof against A. C. Heatty, arrested in Louisville for having counterfeited money in his possession, has been found. Heatty had a store at Fordville. His father took possession of the stock, and when he went to move it out the town marshal was present. On moving the safe the marshal found the dies that had been used in raising the bills found on Heatty. They will be forwarded to Louisville to be used as evidence. It is said that they were extremely well made.

\$400 FOR A KILLING.

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 4—The jury in the case of Albert Bishop, charged with the murder of Ed White, at a colored festival, near Garrettsburg, last September, found the defendant guilty of involuntary manslaughter. He was fined \$400, and in default of payment in money he will have to serve the fine out at hard labor in the workhouse.

TRIED TO STRANGLE CHILDREN

Newport, Ky., March 4—Lizzie Lox, a prepossessing girl of 18, who had been adjudged insane, while en route to the railroad station broke away from the guard and attacked several children who were on their way to school. She tried to strangle them, but was recaptured before doing serious harm.

NEGRO BECOMES INSANE.
Covington, Ky., March 4—Henry

Dagner, a giant negro, became insane and made an effort to kill all who came in his path. It required six men to hold him and, manacled, he was taken before Judge Shaw on a charge of insanity. He was an inveterate cigarette smoker.

DEATH AT HOPTOWN.

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 4—Mrs. Ola Owens, wife of M. A. Owens, died suddenly of paralysis at her home near the city. She was 36 years old and a member of the Baptist church.

MARSHALLS' EXHIBIT.

Henton, Ky., March 4—Corn, wheat and tobacco were shipped to St. Louis to be used as agricultural exhibits of Marshall county at the world's fair. Mineral exhibits were also sent.

MARRIAGE IN CHRISTIAN.

Hopkinsville, Ky., March 4—Benjamin O. Bright, of Webster county, and Miss Eva Davis, of Kelly, this county, were married here.

LONG ILLNESS ENDED

MR. WM. VOEKEL SUCCUMBS AFTER A TWO YEARS' ILLNESS.

Mr. Wm. Voekel, the Seventh and Ohio street grocer, died at 4:45 o'clock last evening after an illness of two years from dropsy and heart disease. He had long been one of Paducah's best known German citizens, and was liked by all who knew him.

He was born in New Orleans November 30, 1847, and came to Paducah in 1865. He leaves a wife and five children here and a number of relatives in New Orleans.

INVALUABLE FOR RHEUMATISM

I have been suffering for the past few years with a severe attack of rheumatism and found that Ballard's Snow Liniment was the only thing that gave me satisfaction and tended to alleviate my pains. March 24th, 1902, John C. Degen, Kinsman, Ill. 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Sold by Dullies Kolb and Co., Paducah, Ky.

TO PUBLIC ADMINISTRATOR.

The estate of Mary Kelley has been ordered into the hands of the public administrator.

CHANGING THE RULES

A Number of Them Undergo Remodeling.

Only Eleven Committees in the School Board Under the New Rules.

LABORATORY WANTED BADLY

A number of important changes are to be made in the rules and regulations of the board of education, as revised and read to the board last night.

There were many minor changes made, so that the regulations would conform to the charter. The meeting days for the teachers is changed so that hereafter instead of meeting on Saturday mornings the teachers will meet on Friday afternoon. There will be one session once each month and the schools will be dismissed about 1 o'clock Friday afternoon. The teachers will meet about 2 o'clock, the rule in this way making it compulsory for them to be in attendance, and if they fail to show up, it will be counted against them the same as if they had failed to teach half a day.

The board had been receiving complaints that some teachers did not attend the meetings and the new rule is adopted to remedy this matter.

The rules governing committee work were revised and instead of having 12 committees, the board is divided into 11 committees, one having been abolished, two consolidated and one new committee created.

The finance and insurance committees are consolidated and the insurance committee is abolished and the work thrown over to the finance committee. The music committee was abolished altogether. A committee on library and laboratory was appointed to handle matters which may come up later pertaining to laboratory and library. For the past several years the school

officials have been trying to secure a science laboratory for without it, the work in physics, physical geography and botany amounts to little, as far as recognition from colleges and universities is concerned. If the student who has been studying any one of these sciences had not seen laboratory experience, the college examiners do not consider that his work amounted to anything, refusing to accept the pupils in this branch.

Superintendent Lieb thinks it would be a wise move to install a scientific laboratory and will probably urge the board to favorably consider this matter. In all schools as large as Paducah's such laboratories are found and the work in the scientific branches greatly aided.

The only apparatus in the schools here at present is a \$6 microscope and the teacher in botany works at a great disadvantage with her class in this study.

The board did not get through last night with the work of revision and will meet again shortly to take the work up again. This matter has to be carefully handled and the board is exercising due caution in changing the rules.

BOOK AGENT SUICIDES

ROBERT MACMAHON, ONCE A MILLIONAIRE, TAKES CYANIDE OF POTASSIUM.

Waterloo, Iowa, March 4—Robert MacMahon, despondent over her fall from a millionaire to a stranded book agent, committed suicide here by taking cyanide of potassium. He was once political editor of a leading southern newspaper and was a brother of Benjamin MacMahon, of New York.

CHILE RECOGNIZES PANAMA.

Santiago, Chile, March 4—Chile has recognized the independence of Panama.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought. Bears the Signature of J. C. Watson.

BAD OLD BOSTON

Doctors Accused of Cruel Treatment to Infants.

Alleged That They Have Practiced Vivisection Repeatedly on Pauper Children.

BIG SENSATION CREATED.

Boston, March 4.—A sensation occurred during the hearing on the bill to restrict vivisection in this State before the Committee on Probate and Chancery in the State House when Herbert D. Ward said:

"Children in this State have been at the mercy of vivisection."

Mr. Ward prefaced this statement by quoting from an English political placard in which the voters were urged to put a stop to vivisection in England on the ground that the vivisection of dumb animals so brutalized the individual and so warped his moral sensibilities and responsibilities "that there is danger that vivisection will experiment upon your wives and children."

"The step from the vivisection of dogs and cats to the vivisection of infants is but a short one," continued Mr. Ward, "and to the everlasting shame and disgrace of the state of Massachusetts there is a record of human vivisection in one of our Boston hospitals; vivisection of the helpless infants of the poor who were sent there to be treated humanely and to be benefited, not to be subjects of experiments like cats and dogs."

Mr. Ward's words created a great sensation in the committee room. Continuing he said:

"Dr. A. H. Wentworth, the senior Assistant Physician to the Infant Hospital in Boston, the only patient physician to the Children's Hospital, and a lecturer in Harvard Medical School, in a privately circulated publication devoted to surgery, and of which I

have secured a copy, describes what he truly and significantly called 'Some experimental work' upon children by way of tapping the spinal canal. These vivisections were performed some forty-five times upon some forty infants, and eight or ten of them died."

Then he read abstracts of five cases of this experimental work made from Dr. Wentworth's article:

"These children," said Mr. Ward, "were intrusted to his care. They were pauper children. 'As the desired material consisted of infants from a few weeks to a few years of age, he presumably did not have to ask their consent to the experiment, and it is probable that he did not explain his desires to or obtain the consent of the mothers of the little ones."

"He justifies the experimental vivisection by saying: 'The diagnostic value of puncture of the subarachnoid space is so evident that I considered myself justified in incurring some risk in order to settle the question of danger.'"

Mr. Ward is the husband of Elizabeth Stuart Phelps Ward. He is a writer of note, and was formerly on the Board of Pension Commissioners of the State.

It is declared that the vivisection continues, and the District Attorney is investigating.

"The way to a man's heart is through his stomach," an old saying meaning that to win a man you must feed him well.

If this is not true, it is still true in another sense that the way to a man's heart is through his stomach. Many persons imagine that they have heart disease when it is only indigestion.

This is now it comes about. The stomach distended by gas, crowds the heart and gives the feeling that the trouble is in the heart.

If you don't know that you have heart trouble, try using Walther's Peptonized Port and see if it does not relieve you.

Small size 50 cents; large size \$1. For sale by W. B. McPherson, druggist, Paducah, Ky.

Mrs. M. E. Linthicum, of Wickliffe, Ky., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Lee Andrews, of 229 North Eighth street.

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Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of Feb., 1904, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22, 1908.
March 1, 1904.

DAILY THOUGHT.

"Do right, and God's recompense to you will be the power of doing more right."—Robertson.

THE WEATHER.

Fair and warmer tonight and Saturday. Probably rain Saturday.

WAR MAY END SOON.

From late reports the Russian-Japanese war may not last as long as predicted. Japan, by her sudden activity, has had the best of it, and it is intimated in what is presumably an inspired dispatch, that overtures for peace would not be obnoxious to her provided Russia would guarantee the protection to her vital interests Japan desires in certain quarters.

This seems reasonable enough. It would give Japan all she is fighting for, and all she probably would get in any event, and would enable her to gracefully retire from the brief war with all the honors she has won. If the war should continue there are no reasonable grounds for believing the intrepid Japs would ultimately escape defeat at the hands of her powerful rival, much as the civilized world would like to see Russia ticked. Hence if Russia takes her cue, it will not be surprising if negotiations for a cessation of hostilities are soon set on foot.

This would apparently be best for all concerned, and for some not concerned. It would save bloodshed, and the enormous expense of carrying on modern warfare for the principals, and would benefit the United States by the possible removal of the antipathy now shown towards Russia and enable us to hold her friendship, which is highly prized in the commercial world. The effects of the hostility displayed by the press and people of the United States towards Russia in the conflict are already being felt in trade channels, and Japan's appreciation of the prevailing sentiment for her in this country would hardly recompense the manufacturers of the United States for the enormous loss of Russia's trade.

It is not plain what Senator Smoot's religion has to do with his holding a seat in congress. And if his religion has nothing to do with it why should it form the basis of a congressional inquiry? Whether the Mormon religion would prevent a man's being loyal to his government or not, Senator Smoot seems to be as loyal as any of the rest, and if any part of the Mormon religion interferes with his allegiance he has evidently repudiated that part of the Mormon religion. Senator Smoot's being a Mormon is no more reason he should not represent his constituents in Congress than being a Baptist or Methodist would be. The Mormons, no matter how objectionable their re-

SONGS OF THE DAY.

MARCH.

I.

Here he come—do de Blow-Hard,
Wit his roar on rumble!
Blow de pallin's 'cross de yard—
Make de chimney tumble!
Rumplin' roses in de dew—
Try ter blow de stars out, too!

II.

Here he come!—He proflik 'roun',
Steeple-bells a-ringin'—
Big trees bowin' ter de gronn',
Birds too skeered fer singin'!
Wonder ef he think dat he
Own dis country, fur en free?

III.

Lookey dar!—My heaver hat—
Cost a big, roun' dollar!
Knock it sideways! Mash it flat!—
Blow me theo' my collar!
But he'll soon be out o' breath—
Blow—en blow yo'se'f ter death!
—Frank L. Stanton.

ligien, are entitled to representation in Congress if they are able to elect a representative, which they did in this case.

The mayor is quoted as giving as an excuse for failing to comply with the requests of the insurance underwriters, the fact that "the city has no money" with which to make the extensions and changes. This may be true, but there is no excuse for the city's not having the money. The tax rate will be \$1.65 this year and it can be \$1.85. The people do not desire a high tax rate, for there is never much evidence of what goes with the money. But they do want enough money to run the city right. Mayor Yeiser and his crowd had an \$1.85 tax rate one year, and if they really wanted to make any improvements to the fire department now they would have made the tax rate larger than \$1.65.

The summary manner in which the friendly bond suit was hustled out of Judge Reed's court yesterday shows what a farce the whole proceeding is. No suit was necessary, and if the city is called on to pay for bringing the suit, which it probably will be, the boards should refuse to allow any fee for it. The city has no right to pay a lawyer to sue the city. It is understood that the suit was brought contrary to the advice of the city solicitor. If we are to pay a city solicitor why not take his advice.

We do not intend to make any comment on the state job given by Mr. McChesney to a Louisville firm at \$28,000 when it could have been done at a profit for \$3,500. Mr. McChesney goes up here to Smithland when a newspaper displeases him and has the editors indicted. It is oad enough to be indicted, but to be indicted at Smithland would be unutterably intolerable.

The Democrats in the legislature have probably decided that as the Democrats did all the grafting done in the state, the Democrats should do all the investigating and all the punishing. Anyone who can't see what this means is a pretty dense proposition.

A year from today President Theodore Roosevelt will be inaugurated President of the United States. We give this tip free of charge and expect to cut this out in a year and republish it, with the additional words, "We told you so."

Grover Cleveland is rushing into print on such slight provocation lately that he seems to be willing to be a candidate, whether he succeeds in being one or not.

We should not be too ready to condemn the Indian preacher who nite his wife and daughter. Maybe it was all he could get.

LIEUTENANT HARLAN BACK.

Lieutenant Frank Harlan returned this morning from Joppla, after an experience he does not care to repeat. He went to Joppla day before yesterday to meet a daughter who was coming here to visit him, and missed the boat that night. He intended to come back on the Fowler last night, but she made no trip yesterday on account of the wind, and he was forced to drive to Metropolis late yesterday and take the first boat to the city, which came up this morning.

MARRIED AT FULTON.

In South Fulton, Tenn., Tuesday Mr. E. M. Fields and Miss Alma Rule, prominent young parties, were married, Esq. J. T. Futrell, officiating. Several of their young friends went down as attendants.—Mayfield Mirror.

Constable Alex Patton and wife are both ill of la grippe.

NOTHING DOING

For Military Officers Who Want Papers Served Here.

No One Can Be Found Who Is Willing to Run the Risk of Doing It.

A COURT MARTIAL IS ON

Major E. B. Bassett, of Hopkinsville, who yesterday afternoon and last night held "school" here for company I, the local state militia company, issued thirteen warrants for members of the company who failed to show up for inspection last night.

The warrants were taken to Sheriff Lee Potter who refused to serve them, it is said, because he did not feel that it was the proper thing to do and that it might cause him and his bondsmen trouble if he arrested the men. Because of his refusal to serve the warrants a mandamus proceeding may be taken out against him today.

Officers of the Wheeler Guards this morning telephoned Adjutant General Percy Haley, at Frankfort, apprising him of the matter, and are awaiting for orders. If the Frankfort officers order the mandamus proceedings instituted, it will be done.

There were a total of 17 militiamen absent from inspection last night and Major Bassett this morning issued warrants against each member who was not at the armory last night.

All this morning efforts were made to have the papers served on the boys, but no one would do it. Sheriff Potter's attorneys advised him that he did not have to, and the police officers and constables in turn declined.

Captain James Caldwell talked of instituting a mandamus suit against the officers to test the question and ascertain whose duty it is to serve such papers but decided finally to drop the matter, and have his men arrested by a squad.

He accordingly caught several of the thirteen or more alleged to have failed to attend drill, and this afternoon a court martial is being held at the city hall, with the following on trial:

Harry Berry, Sydney Smith, Joe Healey, F. M. Campbell and Sherman Pollack. They are charged with failing to attend drill and the evidence will be heard and forwarded to the governor, who will fix the punishment if he approves the findings.

CLUB MEETING POSTPONED.

On account of the death of Mr. William Voekel, the meeting of the Industrial club, which was to have been with Mrs. Frank Kirchoff, Jr., this afternoon has been postponed until next week.

—Since the Lenten season is on drop your fish hook in our mackerel barrel tomorrow and catch three fine fat ones for 25c. Kamleiter's.

Pain Weakens

And Destroys the Nerves.

Do you know that pain is simply the nerve crying for help? Has it ever occurred to you that pain weakens and destroys the nervous system?

For this reason you should not promptly in every case of headache, backache, stomach ache, neuralgia, rheumatism, neuritis, toothache, and all other pain. Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills will relieve pain almost instantly, because they act in a natural and harmless manner upon the nerve tissues, and relieve the conditions which cause the pain.

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WITH THE SICK.

Captain W. C. Clark continues to improve at his home on South Fourth.

Miss Bessie Wilson is ill from la grippe at her home on the South Side.

Officer Will Orr is able to be out today, his friends will be pleased to learn.

Mr. L. W. Boswell, who is very ill at his home on North Fourth street, from rheumatism, is no better.

WILL ELECT OFFICERS.

Tonight the Chess, Checker and Whist Club will meet to elect officers.

This will be the annual meeting of the club and an entire new set of officers elected. At present the officers are J. Q. Taylor, president; W. F. Bradshaw, Jr., secretary and N. W. Van Culin, treasurer.

THE LOSS GROWS.

Guthrie, Okla., March 4—It is now estimated that 20 persons lost their lives in the prairie fires of Thursday. The loss to livestock is very heavy.

Mr. R. D. Happy returned from Mayfield today at noon.

EXPECTED DAILY

Stamp Deputy Rose Says Increase in Rates Certain.

Men Will be Sent Here to Look After the Increases in Rates.

CITY OFFICIALS BLAMED

Mr. C. C. Rose, insurance commissioner for his district, stated this morning in regard to the reported increase in insurance rates here, that he thought the rate would be made immediately. "The companies will send men here to do this," he stated "and they are expected daily. The

insurance companies did not demand that the city increase its fire department, but politely requested it to do so, and no attention was paid to the matter other than what the city had to do through politeness."

The fact that two insurance officers, Messrs. Nelson, of the Kentucky and Tennessee board of underwriters and Mr. Johnson, of the national board, have been here and made recommendations is sufficient evidence that the raise will come."

Mr. Rose stated that he did not know how much the raise would be but supposed it would not be less than 25 per cent. The merchants and property owners who carry insurance are anxious over the matter and the outcome of this action of the board of underwriters is watched with interest.

—White & Sirk, 314 Broadway, will continue their extraordinary cut price sale one more week. Remember their stock of dry goods, ladies' and men's furnishings, cost them 35 per cent less than other merchants. "A hint to the wise is sufficient." White & Sirk, 314 Broadway.

THE TIME IS LIMITED

For the extraordinary inducement that we are holding out for you in

Men's and Boys' Suits and Overcoats



The cut price season is coming to a close as our store soon will be illuminated and filled with the choicest of Spring styles of Men's, Boys' and Children's Suits and Furnishings, and hence we must have more room.

Some Broken Lots

In Men's Suits of the very best makes, new in designs and in patterns which we wish to clean out. In order to do this we will continue our cut sale at

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For hard colds, chronic coughs, bronchitis, consumption. Ask your doctor if he has better advice than this—**Ayer's Cherry Pectoral.**

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LOCAL LINES.

—4 lbs. Peas for 25c. Clark's.
—For Dr. Pendley ring 416.
—6 lb. Navy Beans for 25c Saturday at Clark's.
—Vote in the World's Fair contests.
—5 lb. Lima Beans for 25c at Clark's.
—Position wanted by excellent stenographer, a young lady. Address W. O., care Sun.
—20c each for gal. cans apples at Clark's.
—The case of the First National bank of Metropolis against the Prudential Insurance Co. was dismissed and appealed.
—15c per pound for Cream Cheese at Clark's.
—The funeral of the late Engineer George M. Tagg yesterday afternoon was one of the largest in the history of Paducah.
—3 cans Tomatoes 25c at Clark's Saturday.
—The number of sewerage permits gets smaller and smaller every month. In February only two were issued by Inspector Raspr.
—Three cans corn for 25c at Clark's Saturday.
—The remains of Mr. John M. Young, who died near Tyler, this county, were taken to Graves county today for burial.
—Fancy Bananas for only 10 cents per dozen tomorrow at Engert & Bryant's.
—Mail Agent Floyd, of the St. Louis division of the I. C., is ill from measles and has gone to his home in Illinois to recover from the attack.
—Engert & Bryant will offer nice oranges for 12½ cents per dozen tomorrow.
—A new line of Carbon Paper, Typewriter Papers and Ribbons. The very best the market affords at lowest prices at R. D. Clements Book Store.
—Big Deal soap, 7 large bars for only 25 cents at Engert & Bryant's tomorrow.
—The Christian Woman's Board of Missions will meet Saturday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock at the First Christian church. Every member is urged to be present.
—A supposed break in the steam heating pipes at Fifth and Broadway proved to be a small place that had rotted in the pipe, allowing the steam to escape.
—Shell bark Hickory nuts 15c the peck at Kamleiter's.
—Steps are to be taken at once to ascertain where the break is that causes a small stream of water to come up from under the brick street in front of Hotel Lagoromurino.
—Those dill pickles at Kamleiter's are now better than ever.
—Mr. Peter Foreman, who was hurt near Barlow City yesterday while loading logs, was brought to the city last night and sent home on the Bonanza, which passed down last night.
—To avoid that muddy water get a package of one night water sotter at Kamleiter's.

GET A GAME OF
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Social Notes and About People.

WEDDING ANNOUNCED.

The marriage of Miss Geraldine Sanders, daughter of Judge D. L. Sanders, to Mr. Charles James, of Evansville, Ind., is announced to take place March 23 at 5 o'clock in the evening at the First Presbyterian church. Rev. W. E. Cave will perform the ceremony. The couple will reside in Evansville.

CHARITY CONCERT.

A concert for charity will be given tonight at the residence of Mrs. A. B. Sowell, on West Broadway by Mrs. Frank L. Scott's Sunday school class of the First Christian church.

MASKED BALL.

A mask ball will be given next Wednesday evening at Elks hall to the Sabbath school children of Temple Israel, in celebration of the Feast of Purim.

CLUB BUSINESS MEETING.

The Dolphin Club is having a business meeting this afternoon at the residence of Mrs. R. B. Phillips, on Jefferson street near Ninth.

Attorney Mike Oliver has returned to Henton.

Miss Vennie Edwards is visiting relatives in Louisville.

Mr. Bud Vogt went to Hazzard Pond this morning to hunt.

Mr. R. L. Offutt, of the Courier Journal, was in the city today.

Mr. John Williamson, Jr., returned from Ripley, Tenn., this morning.

Mrs. J. Leslie Thompson, of Owensboro, is visiting Mrs. L. P. Razor.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKinney returned from Hickman today at noon.

Mr. John C. Gates, claim agent for the I. C., is in the city today on business.

Miss Dena Pryor has returned home after visiting Miss Kate Council, of

NEVER DREAM

BUT THERE'S A WAY TO FIND OUT.

So many say: "Why I never dreamed coffee was the cause of the trouble." A Wichita woman made a test as follows: "I had for years been troubled with severe nervous headaches that evidently came from my stomach but I did not dream that my favorite coffee had anything to do with it."

"I used to suffer terrible pains in the region of my heart and these gave me great uneasiness, for an attack would leave me breathless and weak."

"I drank coffee three times a day and thought I could not do without it and as my mother's family nearly all died suddenly of heart disease I thought the pains around my heart showed that I had inherited organic weakness of the heart. Two years ago husband and I talked it over and concluded that coffee might be aggravating my heart trouble, so I stopped drinking coffee and took Postum Food Coffee, still making coffee for the rest of the family."

"The result was a quick disappearance of the pains around my heart. My headaches disappeared and of late I have hardly known what a headache is while my general health is better than ever before in my life. My family soon began to notice what Postum did for me and then my eldest boy asked me to make Postum for him instead of coffee as he thought coffee made him nervous and interfered with his studies."

"Then my oldest daughter who is a bookkeeper made the same request and to cut a long story short my whole family now drink Postum in place of coffee and much prefer it to coffee and even a nephew who came on a visit to us for a month found such a change in his condition from drinking Postum in place of coffee, that when he went back home he continued to drink Postum and induced his mother and sister to drink it and in that way the use of Postum in place of coffee has spread among my relatives."

"In the case of everyone that has made the change there has been a marked improvement in health and we know that it is due to having left off the coffee and drunk the Postum for if I happen to go away from home and drink a cup of coffee I cannot get any sleep that night and suffer misery. It seems to me that if health is worth while to anybody they had better quit coffee and give Postum a trial."

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Solicitors wanted at Great Pacific Tea and Coffee Co.

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WANTED—Experienced seamstress to assist dressmaker. Apply 1152 Jefferson.

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FOR RENT—New five room brick house on Clay street, between 11th and 12th. Apply to J. E. Williamson.

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WANTED—Young man 16 to 18 years of age to learn a good business in a large Broadway retail store. Apply at this office.

WANTED.

Two delivery boys. Do not apply if you have not had experience. Jake Biederman Gro. and B. Co.

WANTED—One thousand boys to pass bills for the Van Dyke show. Be at stage entrance of The Kentucky at 9 o'clock Saturday morning.

WOOD—Plenty of dry wood for cooking and heating stoves—Deliver to any part of city. Terrell D. Fookes, Cairo Road. Old phone 422 A.

WANTED—You to investigate our 60 Gingham at 5c and our 6c calicoes at 6c. You will invest a few dollars with us. WHITE & SISK, 314 Broadway.

LOST—Last November some one by mistake took a bundle of music weighing about 60 pounds from the I. C. freight depot. Any information leading to its recovery will be rewarded. City Transfer Co.

WANTED TO SELL—50 pieces of 6c calico at 5c per yd; 200 yds soft bleached cotton at 7½c per yd; \$2.50 fine soft comforts at \$1.75; 12½c and 10c zephyr gingham at 8½c per yd. WHITE & SISK, 314 Broadway.

Mayfield.

Mrs. A. E. Atwood left yesterday for Nashville to join her husband and reside there.

Mr. L. A. Washington, city engineer, has gone to Virginia on a visit to his father.

Mrs. Fred Ashton and little son, Byron, have gone to Obion and Tipponville, Tenn., for a visit.

Mr. Julian A. Smith, of Louisville, state secretary of county work for the Y. M. C. A., for Western Kentucky, was in the city last night visiting the local association. He returned to Louisville early this morning.

Mrs. Martha Hoeker, who resides with her niece Mrs. Amanda Minnis at Paducah, arrived Sunday and is the guest of her stepson, Judge J. W. Hoeker. Mrs. Hoeker has attained the ripe age of 82 years and is enjoying the blessings of good health and tranquil spirits.—Mayfield Mirror.

WHEAT AND OATS.

Chicago, May 4—Wheat—May option opened 96, closed 97. Corn 52 3/4, 53 1/4. Oats 40 3/4, 41 1/4.

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A 5 lb. cotton bag best granulated sugar for.....25 cents
A nice 2 lb. can tomatoes only.....5 cents
A nice can of tomato soup for.....3 cents
A pound of shelled almonds for.....40 cents
A pound of the best ginger snaps only.....5 cents
A can of California asparagus only.....15 cents
A pound of fancy N. Y. full cream cheese only.....15 cents
A whole Edam cheese for only.....85 cents
A regular 25c can breakfast cocoa for only.....20 cents
A pound of fancy new figs for only.....8 cents
A dozen nice, sweet oranges for.....20 cents
A dozen fancy Messina lemons for only.....12 cents
A package Brittle Bits, good as Grape Nuts, only. 8 cents
A dozen Kingan's pig feet, nice and tender, only. 20 cents
A package of Nutro Crisp, a health food de-trinized, nutritious and delicious, for only.... 8 cents
A package of hulled beans, as long as they last.... 8 cents
A package of Apetizo, try it, only..... 8 cents
APPLES APPLES APPLES
Per bushel only..... \$1.30
Per peck.....35 cents
A loaf of our fresh bread still going at..... 3 cents

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Tomorrow matinee—Fortune's Fool.

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—Calico at 5c per yd, 50c underwear at 35c, bleached cotton at 7½c per yd, 50c and 75c corsets at 30c, and in fact everything is cut to and below the present wholesale price at White & Sisk, 314 Broadway.

—Ross Poindexter, colored, was taken from the county jail this morning to the city hall to serve out his city sentence for carrying a pistol.

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35c For Wool Dress Goods, worth 50c.
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4c For 7-8 yard wide unbleached domestic, worth 5 1-2c.
5c For yard wide unbleached domestic, worth 6 1-2c.
7 1/2c For 40 inch plain white linen, worth 15c.

7 1/2c For corded white goods, worth 15c.
7 1/2c For detted swiss, worth 15c.
7 1/2c For corded white madras, worth 15c.
8c For bleached domestic, worth 10c.
5c For all the best brands of calico, worth 6c.
8c For hose, worth 10c.

10c For hose, worth 15c.
20c For hose, worth 25c.
35c For hose worth 50c.
All our underwear at actual cost.
All our men's gloves at cost.
88c For all our ladies' kid gloves, worth \$1.00.
7 1/2c For all our embroidery, worth 10c.

\$2.00 For lace curtains, worth \$3.00.
75c For one lot lace curtains, slightly soiled, worth \$1.25.
39c For one lot of shirts, worth 50c.
75c For one lot of shirts, worth \$1.00.
25c For one lot of shirts, worth 40c.
40c For one lot of overalls, worth 50c.

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Is every man's allowance when his laundry work doesn't please him. The same work doesn't please everybody—all of us have whims of our own. Doesn't matter—we won't quarrel. We will please you. Let us humor your whims, but please give us an inkling of the little things you like attended to.

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Ladies, if you become fatigued while shopping stop in at our Cafe. A nice place to find rest and light lunches.
Everything in Season.

NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

THE STAGES.

Cairo, 23.5—0.2 rise.
Chattanooga, 6.6—0.4 fall.
Cincinnati, 27.0—5.6 rise.
Evansville, 18.1—0.1 fall.
Florence, 5.5—0.2 fall.
Johnsonville, 8.3—0.9 rise.
Knoxville, 8.5—0.1 rise.
Mt. Carmel, 13.5—1.6 rise.
Nashville, 9.4—0.3 fall.
Pittsburg, 24.5—9.8 rise in 48 hours.
Davis Island Dam, 24.8—9.2 rise in 48 hours.
St. Louis, 7.4—0.2 rise.
Paducah, 17.3—0.2 rise.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 17.2 on the gauge, a rise of 0.2 in the last 24 hours. Weather clear and cool. Temperature 30 with east winds.
S. A. FOWLER, Local Observer.

The Mary Hill went to Nashville yesterday.

The Megildo is due from Tennessee river Saturday.

The Charleston is due Sunday from Tennessee river.

The Victor is due from Tennessee river in a few days.

The Tennessee arrived this morning from Tennessee river.

The Penguin is due Monday or Tuesday from Tennessee river.

The Dick Fowler went to Cairo this morning with a good trip.

The Summers and Ten Brock are due from Tennessee river in a few days.

The Hopkins came in today and will lay here until tomorrow. She damaged a stage plank.

The stage plank rigging of the John S. Hopkins is broken down but will be put up again at once.

The Inverness got in from Tennessee river yesterday and will go out tomorrow to Tennessee river.

The tool houses and mill of the dry docks are still under water and will shortly be raised if possible.

The Savannah passed out of Tennessee yesterday morning and yesterday afternoon went to St. Louis.

The Duffey came in from Cumberland river yesterday and will today be inspected by Inspectors Brazee and Scott, of Memphis.

The dry docks which were blown about in yesterday's storm, have been gotten into position again and this morning the Cumberland was let into the river and a barge taken out on the docks for repairs.

CARRIAGE PAINTING.

This is the time to have such work done. G. R. Sexton Sign Works is well equipped for fine work and prompt work.

NOTICE.

The entertainment announced at colored Odd Fellows hall March 8 for the purpose of building a Masonic temple, is not true. It is run by Mr. Allen Johnson alone without any Masonic authority whatever and we as Masons do not endorse the affair.
G. E. MARSHALL, Sec.
G. W. WOODS, W. M.
Mt. McGregor No. 29 F. A. M.

Mr. Richard Poore returned to Union City, Tenn., last evening after spending several days here.

Lax-Fos Cures Constipation and all stomachic troubles by removing the cause. Price 50c.
S. H. WINSTEAD MED. CO. Paducah, Ky.

Theatrical Notes.

"Our Bachelors" was presented last evening by the Columbus Stock company to an audience that liked it perhaps better than anything yet presented by this excellent company. Mr. and Mrs. Julian were seen in a curtain raiser which proved to be one of the brightest and best in their extensive repertoire and the succeeding performance of "Our Bachelors" delighted everybody. The Columbus company has made many friends in Paducah, and they are all of the better class of theater goers who appreciate real merit in plays, and who have found that the Columbus gives only the highest order of plays, and in the most artistic manner.

TIE ON TRACK

YOUNG MAN ARRESTED AT MARION, ILL. FOR ATTEMPTED TRAIN WRECKING.

Byron Davis, aged 22, was taken to Marion, Ill., on a charge of attempting to wreck a train on the Frisco, but it seems to be a question whether he is a fit subject for the penitentiary or the insane asylum.

Persons who have seen the young man are of the opinion that he is not responsible for his actions. He says he received a blow on the head with a base ball bat once.

Young Davis put a railroad tie on the track of the Frisco near Goreville, but was seen in the act and the tie was removed. Detective Smith of the railway company was notified and went down Saturday and arrested the young man.

Davis does not deny placing the tie on the track. He says he did it to wreck the northbound passenger train which was due to pass in thirty minutes. He would likely have been successful had he not been discovered.

His stories are disconnected and he attempts at times to implicate other young fellows, who he says wanted to wreck a train by placing rocks on the track.

The prisoner will be taken to Vienna Tuesday to answer in the Johnson county courts to either a charge of attempting to wreck a train or of insanity.

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COLD, BLIZZARDS, SNOW, FIRES AND SICKNESS NEVER BEFORE APPROACHED IN NEW YORK.

New York, March 4.—The winter of 1903-4, with its long roll of utes and disasters, closed with a record in New York of having been the coldest in the annals of the weather bureau. The mean temperature has been 26 1-3 degrees.

Blizzards and heavy snowstorms were responsible for a snowfall of 28 inches, which cost the street cleaning department more than \$600,000 to remove. In fact, according to the officials of the department, no such amount of snow has ever been shoveled from the streets of New York in the city's history.

There were nearly 2,000 fires in the city since December 1, and with the high cost of meat and provisions and the raising of rents, the sufferings and privations of the year have kept pace with the record breaking winter.

Statistics of the United States bureau show that the mean temperature was 5 1-3 degrees lower than any winter during the last 30 years and one degree lower than the winter of 1874-75, heretofore the coldest on record.

The changeable weather of the season caused much illness, especially in pneumonia, bronchitis and pulmonary diseases. The deaths from pneumonia and kindred diseases, due to the unhealthy weather, exceeded former statistics in the health department.

ADVERSE REPORT.

RAILROAD COMMITTEE OBJECTS TO HAVING PASSES TABOOED.

Statehouse, Frankfort, Ky., March 4.—The resolutions heretofore offered urging the Kentucky delegation in congress to vote for better pay for rural mail carriers and to look and dam Pond river, in the Second congressional district, were adopted by unanimous vote.

Judge Guffy asked the house to call from the railroad committee his bill to enforce the provisions of section 197 of the constitution, that prohibiting use of railroad passes by officials. He said the bill had been in the hands of the committee since January 6 last, and it had failed so far to report it.

Chairman Winn, of the railroad committee, responded to Mr. Guffy. He said that the committee had acted adversely on the bill and was ready to report on it at any time; that he had been unavoidably absent from the city for ten days because of illness in his family, and that for that reason there had been no report. Mr. Lawrence suggested that the chairman of the committee be allowed to report at this time, and Mr. Winn reported the bill unfavorably.

Mr. Guffy moved that the bill be advanced to the calendar, notwithstanding the report. By vote of 42 to 37 the house so ordered.

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Olive Camp, Woodmen of the World, last night initiated a large class of candidates. The following are the names of those in the class, some of them being unable to attend last night.

Thomas Ross, H. B. Bishop, John Hughes, A. H. Brown, John Willis, R. R. Winston, E. A. Stephens, Thomas H. Owens, Edward Clark, Robert Parker, H. F. Carrio, Egbert Moore, James Ingram, H. N. Alaman, William H. Sheer, M. Steinfeld, Dr. E. Earle, L. S. Dows, James Davis, John G. Rehkopf, Elmo Townsend, Clyde Cooper, John S. Markley, Oscar Grif, William Carso, L. A. Urshank, L. H. Jackson, Joe Halsey, Oscar Roberts, R. F. Bush, William Hugn, Fred Roth, Charles Ellis, M. Larkie, G. W. Wising, L. L. Hinger, Otto Glora, Samuel Vickory, William H. Hubey, Arthur Dunaway, Harrison Linnhane, John Ruby, Tobias Brown, William H. McAlister, M. F. Blanton, Oscar Parrish, Will Wallace, H. F. Crawford, M. N. Stunley, G. A. Hanon, E. H. Kelley, J. L. Lee, A. S. Miller, H. W. Thompson, R. R. Boyd, W. V. Adams, L. O. Helm, J. E. Friant, John Goheen, V. H. Thomas and C. A. Morrison.

After the initiation there was a smoker which at least 100 attended and enjoyed.

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CALLED MEETING.

BOARD OF EDUCATION HELD SESSION LAST EVENING.

A meeting of the Board of Education was held last night to hear a reading of the revision of rules, and to elect a trustee.

Mr. John V. Greif was chosen to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Trustee J. M. Fuller. Mr. W. A. Wickliffe was chosen as the third census taker. The other two, J. M. Hart and E. S. Mitchell, were elected at the meeting Tuesday night.

The remainder of the evening was spent in hearing the rules read, and the work is not yet finished.

DEATH FROM MEASLES.

Benlah Hall, the two year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hall, died last night at Little Cypress, of measles. The burial took place today at the Little Cypress grave yard. The child is one of twins and the other little one has measles and is not expected to live.

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CIRCUIT COURT

JUDGE REED TO DECIDE LICENSE ORDINANCE DURING VACATION.

Judge Reed today decided to try the case of H. O. Rhodes, petitioner or party, to test the validity of city ordinance regulating retail merchants' license by the number of clerks employed, during vacation, and file the judgment at the next term of court.

The case of Frank Query against the I. O. railroad was transferred to the U. S. court.

A compromise in the case of Dennis Loving against Matilda McKnight was reported and the case dismissed.

The case of Frank Blanghatter against the N. C. and St. L. road was transferred to the federal court and an appeal granted.

The verdict was set aside in the case of Mesheo against Rigglesberger and a new trial granted.

The motion for a new trial in the case of Peudley against the I. O. railroad was overruled and an appeal granted.

The motion for a new trial in the case of Sam. Likel against the city of Paducah was overruled.

In the case of Bagby, administrator, against W. S. Ghoson, a judgment for sale was filed.

HARDWARE MEN

ADJOURN AFTER ELECTING NEW SET OF OFFICERS.

Louisville, Ky., March 4.—The state branch of the National Retail Hardware and Store Dealers' association, which has been in session for two days, closed its meeting with the election of the following officers: J. O. Frederick, Owensboro, president; J. O. Mahan, Lawrenceburg, first vice president; Joseph Kuapp, city, second vice president; J. Sower, Jr., Frankfort, secretary; A. Steitler, Jr., Owensboro, treasurer.

J. C. Sower and Paul Wagner were elected delegates to the convention of the national association, to be held in Indianapolis next week.

The state branch this year showed an increase of 25 in its membership. The state convention next year will be held at one of the leading hotels in this city.

ANOTHER COMPANY

TO BE ORGANIZED IN KENTUCKY FOR LIFE INSURANCE.

Louisville, Ky., March 4.—A new local life insurance company is projected. It is proposed to incorporate with \$200,000 capital stock and do a business like that of the late Sun Life.

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Geoff Reed, master commissioner, to H. A. and Louis J. Pettey, for \$705 property on South Fourth street.

DISASTROUS CLOUDBURST.

Steubenville, O., March 4.—A cloud burst in the Yellow Creek valley, near Ironville, caused much destruction. Scores of houses were flooded and it is reported that at least one life was lost.

The Gentleman From Indiana

By BOOTH TARKINGTON

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"Good day, Mr. McCune," was the answer. "Let me have your note of withdrawal before you leave town this afternoon." The young man paused a moment, then extended his hand as he said: "Shake hands, won't you? I-I haven't meant to be too hard on you. I hope things will seem easier and gay-er to you before long, and if—if anything should turn up that I can do for you in a private way I'll be very glad, you know. Goodby."

The sound of the Herald's victory went over the state. The paper came out regularly. The townsfolk bought it, and the farmers drove in for it. Old subscribers came back. Old advertisers renewed. The Herald began to sell in Amo, and Gaines county people subscribed. Carlow folk held up their heads when journalism was mentioned. Presently the Herald announced a news connection with Rome, and with that and the aid of "patent insiders" began an era of three issues a week, appearing on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays. The Plattville brass band serenaded the editor.

During the second month of the new regime of the Herald the working force of the paper received an addition. One night the editor found some harrowing letters tormenting a patriarchal old man who had a magnificent head and a grand white beard. He had been thrown out of a saloon, and he was drunk with the drunkenness of three weeks' steady pouring. He propped himself against a wall and reproved his tormentors in Latin. "I'm walking your way, Mr. Fiske," remarked the journalist, hooking his arm into the old man's. "Suppose we leave our friends here and go home."

Mr. Fiske was the one inhabitant of the town possessing a unknown past, and a glimmer of romance was thrown about him by the gossip, who agreed that there was a dark, portentous secret in his life, an opinion not too well confirmed by the old man's appearance. His face eyes had a habit of wandering to the horizon, and his expression was mild, vague and sad, lost in dreams. At the first glance one guessed that his dreams would never be practicable in their application, and some such impression of him was probably what caused the editor of the Herald to nickname him, in his own mind, "the White Knight."

Mr. Fiske, coming to Plattville from nobody knew where, had taught in the high school for ten years, but he proved quite unable to refrain from lecturing to the dumfounded pupils on archeology, neglecting more and more the ordinary courses of instruction, growing year by year more forgetful and absent, lost in his few books and his own reflections, until at last he had been discharged for incompetency. The dazed old man had no money and no way to make any. One day he dropped in at the hotel bar, where Wilkerson, the professional drunkard, favored him with his society. The old man understood. He knew it was the beginning of the end. He sold his books in order to continue his credit at the Palace bar, and once or twice, unable to proceed to his own dwelling, spent the night in a lumber yard, plotted thither by the harder veteran Wilkerson.

The morning after the editor took him home Fiske appeared at the tiered old office in a new hat and a decent suit of black. He had received his salary in advance, his books had been repurchased and he had become the reporter staff of the Carlow County Herald; also he was to write various treatises for the paper. For the first few evenings when he started home from the office his chief walked with him, chatting cheerfully, until they had passed the Palace bar. But Fiske's redemption was complete.

The editor of the Herald kept steadily at his work, and as time went on the bitterness his predecessor's avowal had left in him passed away. But his loneliness and a sense of defeat grew and deepened. When the vistas of the world had opened to his first youth he had not thought to spend his life in such a place as Plattville, but he found himself doing it, and it was no great happiness to him that the Hon. Kedgie Halloway of Amo, whom the Herald's opposition to McCune had sent to Washington, came to depend on his influence for reappointment, nor did the realization that the editor of the Carlow County Herald had come to be McCune's successor as political dictator produce a perceptibly enlivening effect upon the young man. The years drifted very slowly, and to him it seemed that they went by while he stood far aside and could not even see them move. He did not consider the life he led an exciting one, but the other citizens of Carlow did when he undertook a war against the White Caps, denizens of Six Crossroads, seven miles west of Plattville. The natives were much more afraid of the White Caps than he was. They knew more about them and understood them better than he did.

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More About the Controversy
Over Pauper Burials.

Judge Lightfoot Tells Why City
Should Bury Its Paupers—Law Says
Nothing About Dead Paupers.

JUDGE ADOPTS NEW RULE

Since the controversy between city
and county officials started over the
burial of a colored pauper yesterday,
much interest has been aroused in the
outcome.

Mayor Yeiser states that he does not
feel it the duty of the city to bury
paupers when the statutes read "the
county shall make suitable provision
for its paupers."

"Should I be convinced that I am in
the wrong and the city should stand
the expense of paupers dying within
the city limits," Mayor Yeiser ex-
plained, "I would willingly change
my views and issue orders for coffins,
but when the statutes read so plainly
I think there can be no mistake—that
it is the county's duty to bury its paupers."

County Judge Lightfoot was seen
and stated that he knew how the law
read, and while it stated the county
shall make suitable provision for the
paupers, said nothing about dead paupers.

"In every other city and county the
pauper deaths are dealt with different-
ly," he stated: "The paupers who
died within the city limits should be
buried by the city because it is the
city's duty. Why does the city keep
up its streets, its public buildings and
why is it self-governing, in fact why
is it a city? The same argument that
applies to the management of the
streets will apply to the expense in-
curred in pauper deaths, or in running
the city hospital, and if the city feels
the responsibility of keeping up its

streets, then why not bury its dead?"
Judge Lightfoot stated that the
county pauper fund had been exhaust-
ed and he now swears every applicant
for a coffin. Negroes generally come
to the county judge to bury their chil-
dren and if they are working and have
household effects Judge Lightfoot de-
cides that they are not paupers and
can sell some of their effects and bury
the child.

"The county has been imposed on
by alleged paupers for many years,"
Judge Lightfoot declared, "and it has
got to come to a stop. If a man is a
pauper, and deserving, then I will
issue him an order for a coffin, other-
wise I will not."

Judge Lightfoot talked as if he did
not intend to issue any more city pauper
coffin orders.

—2 lb. package A. B. coffee for
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—Clifford Bugard, aged 14 months,
died of la grippe at 1123 Meyers street
this morning. The burial will be in
the county graveyard.

—3 cans fancy table peaches for 50c
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—Albert Murray was arrested this
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John Anstin 125
Ohas. Holliday 15
Ohas. Barber 1

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O. C. Hayman 310,991
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O. M. Thornhill 210
Ed Willis 224
J. P. McQueen 126
Theo Hovecamp 22
Jeff Coleman 7
Clint Randle 3

Retail or wholesale clerk.

Harry Hinkle 295,216
Miss Ruth Oremens 246,528
Mr. Fred Smith 26,607
Mrs. Ollie Elliott 17,135
Hannah Petter 4,820
Miss Maggie Williams 207
Miss Mamie Baynam 75
Miss Augusta List 58
Mr. James Scott 21
Miss Dorris Martin 10
H. Hogotte 1

School teacher.

Miss Jessie Byrd 252,193
Miss Jessie Rocks 243,917
William Lawrence 159,092
Miss Lizzie Singleton 9,139
Miss Mabel Roberts 368
Miss Ellen Willis 329
Miss Ada Brazelton 169
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Walking Skirts **\$6.50**
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Col. R. G. Caldwell's Demurrer
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Colonel R. G. Caldwell has won
first blood in the suit instituted against
him by Special Commissioner Gip
Husbands some time ago alleging that
he had failed to account for funds col-
lected as assignee of the Paducah
Building and Trust company, and ask-
ing that Colonel Caldwell be compelled
to turn over books, papers and funds
to Mr. Husbands. Special Judge D.
H. Hughes today sustained the de-
fendant's demurrer to the suit filed by
Mr. Husbands and will have the order
entered tomorrow. This demurrer,
expressed in a few words, was to the
effect that Mr. Husbands' suit was
uncalled for and premature. It is held,
by sustaining the demurrer, in other
words, that Mr. Husbands was pre-
mature in bringing it except as to the
\$914 Mr. Caldwell had been ordered
to pay into court and which he today
stated he is ready to pay into court.
The question of allowing him to do
this will be decided tomorrow morning
by Judge Hughes.

While Judge Hughes has not specifi-
cally passed on the question of the re-
moval of Mr. Caldwell as assignee of
the Paducah Building Trust Co., it is
said that he will adjudge Mr. Cald-
well still the assignee, although he
was supposed to have been removed by
an order of Judge Husbands before
the latter retired as circuit judge.

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